

- Second Declaration of Dr. John Altman under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132, with attachments.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 25[✓] without prejudice.
Please amend claim 19 to read as follows:

19 (thrice amended). A method of detecting T lymphocytes that are specific for a nominal antigen, comprising:

contacting a sample containing peripheral blood mononuclear cells with a nominal antigen;

adding to said sample an inhibitor of cytokine secretion;

permeabilizing said cells;

adding to said sample at least one cytokine-specific antibody; and then

flow cytometrically detecting the intracellular binding of said cytokine-specific antibody by T cells in said sample.